



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner : Mehrdad Dastouri  
Serial No. : 09/976,945  
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Inventors : Pascal Pineau  
Title : MEDICAL IMAGING  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 18, 2004 of the Primary Examiner rejecting Claims 1-5, 7 and 8. These claims have been twice rejected, and thus this Notice of Appeal is appropriate.

Enclosed herewith is our check in the amount of \$165.00 to cover the fee for filing of the Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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